



**Stone**  
Church of England Combined School

**Building stepping stones to success**



## Weekly Newsletter – Friday, 6th March 2020

**Welcome to this week's Newsletter.**



**COMING UP**

### Wednesday 11th March

Mornings - Forest School for Year 3  
Afternoons - Forest School for Year 4

### Thursday 12th March

School Disco organised by the SSPTA  
KS1 from 5.00pm - 6.15pm  
KS2 from 6.30pm - 8.00pm

### Friday 13th March

Sports Relief Day (children should come into school in sports wear and trainers).  
Inter-school Quiz for Year 5 at John Colet School



### Child of the Week

EYFS: Sienna C, writing your very own book during World Book Day

Year 1: Sienna C, brilliant writing about her World Book Day outfit.

Year 2: Nate C-N, great enthusiasm with his addition work.

Year 3: Kai D, getting really involved in Woodland Wednesday and challenging himself

Year 4: Eoin C, lighting up the classroom every day with his positive attitude.

Year 5: Ollie E-H, persevering and having a great attitude to his work.

Year 6: Summer P, excellent demonstrating during PE.



### Stepping Stone to Success Award

**Perseverance:** Sophia C, really trying hard and persevering with her phonics.

**Community:** Tochi A, supporting her peers in maths.

**Responsibility:** Ethan W, creating a map of our local environment at Woodland Wednesday.

**Responsibility:** Ben Ba, being a responsible member of the football squad and writing a match report in his own time at home.

**Responsibility:** Carl G, responsible in the classroom.

**Respect:** showing respect by listening carefully on the carpet.

**Responsibility:** Hannah was a wonderful reading partner on World Book Day in Year 1.

### Recommended Resource

Please find a resource attached to support your child with developing a positive morning routine.

A positive morning routine can help them to get into the 'green zone', in which they are physically and mentally awake, calm and ready for learning.



## Thank You

We have received a thank you letter from BBC Children in Need for the £276.68 sent to them. The money raised goes towards supporting disadvantaged children and young people across the UK; so thank you to all that have supported this. If you would like to know more, please use the link below

[www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk](http://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk)



## Football match

On Tuesday, Stone played Weston Turville in a football match. Stone started strong, looking for an early goal. Stone and Weston Turville made good chances but the score was still 0-0 at half time. In the second half Mason got the ball and played a lovely pass to Harry whose shot hit the cross bar but came out to Jacob to slot it home, 1-0. Stone weren't able to clear and a Weston Turville strike took the ball and shot into a bottom corner 1-1. Later on, a Weston Turville player took the ball. Ezra won the ball but the referee thought otherwise. Free kick. Then, one of their players took an unstoppable shot into the top left 1-2.

Stone should have won that but the ball wouldn't go in the net. *By Charlie S, Year 6*



## World Book Day

On Thursday we celebrated World Book Day and were amazed by all the fantastic characters that everyone came dressed as.

It was a wonderful day celebrating books. All the classes did fantastic work about their favourite book characters, creating their own stories as a comic, reading with different year groups and even getting time to read for their own leisure in the library which was turned into a big reading bed for the day!

Well done to everyone for all the hard work to make the day so wonderful.

Thank you to all the staff and their wonderful costumes too



Here are some more photos on our World Book Day Event.





## SSPTA Events

7th May — Crazy hair and hat day

20th June — Summer Fayre



## Dates for 2019/20

Spring Term 2020: Tuesday 7th January to Friday 3rd April 2020 (school closes at 1.30pm)

Summer Term 2020: Monday April 20th to Tuesday 21st July 2020 (school closes at 1.30pm)

Half Term: Friday 22nd May to Friday 29th May 2020

### Inset Days 2019/2020

Friday 22nd May 2020, Friday 10th July 2020

### Bank Holiday

Friday, 8th May 2020

## Dates for 2020/2021

Autumn Term 2020: Wednesday 2nd September to Friday 18th December (school closes at 1.30pm)

Half Term: Monday 26th October to Friday 30th October

Spring Term 2021: Tuesday 5th January to Thursday 1st April (school closes at 1.30pm)

Half Term: Monday 15th February to Friday 19th February

Summer Term 2021: Monday 19th April to Wednesday 21st July (school closes at 1.30pm)

Half Term: Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June

### Inset Days 2020/2021

Tuesday 1st September 2020, Monday 4th January 2021 plus 3 others to be allocated by the school.